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The Honorable Jan Brewer Governor of Arizona 1700 West Washington Phoenix, Arizona 85007

Dear Governor Brewer:

Recent events in Arizona have now thrust you into a seemingly harsh spotlight. Illegal immigration has been a concern in the USA for a long time, but now it is finally coming to its rightful place as a top domestic issue. The Obama administration and your former governor have chosen to do nothing. All the while, citizens are being murdered and kidnapped. Now, today, we learn that our own US Justice Department plans to bring suit against the new Arizona law.

We believe Arizona is leading the way to put a stake in the ground and declare enough is enough! The citizens of Texas near the El Paso border with Juarez, Mexico have now armed themselves and are taking matters into their own hands. This is the American spirit at its finest!

We, the women, men and student members of the Northwest Orange Republican Women, Federated (NORWF), located in Apopka, Florida, near Orlando, want to extend to you our collective heartfelt support. We cannot imagine you standing alone in this matter. This resolution, when read at our general membership meeting, received a standing ovation!

If there is any way in which we can further assist you, please do not hesitate to write, email or just pick up the phone and call.

Sincerely,

Linda Laurendeau, M.A.

President



Whereas, The Northwest Orange Republican Women, Federated, affirms the integrity of the international borders of these United States and the Constitutional authority and duty of the federal government to guard and to protect those borders, including the regulation of the numbers and of the qualifications of immigrants into the country; and

Whereas, the Federal Government has wrongfully neglected its role to guard and protect our borders, and thus all Americans, from an unprecedented invasion of illegal aliens;

Whereas, the State of Arizona, has endured the worst of the illegal crossings into our country, and has passed Arizona Senate Bill 1070 which was signed by Governor Jan Brewer on April 23, 2010; and

Whereas, this Arizona law enables its Law Enforcement officers to enforce federal immigration law using federal standards protecting the rights of all citizens, and requires them to do so without violating civil rights and without resorting to racial profiling; and

Whereas, the Arizona law does not require new documentation such as a national ID card, but uses existing identification documentation to establish a presumption of legal status;

Therefore be it Resolved, that the Northwest Orange Republican Women, Federated, stands with the people of Arizona and applauds the State of Arizona and its Governor Jan Brewer for its recent action to protect and defend it citizens, our country, and the sovereignty of both the State of Arizona and the United States of America.

Adopted 17 June 2010.

Einda Laurendeau President